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S/053/008*

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John Welsh
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Re: File Closure for Exploration Notice, Shivwits Lode Claim #7 Project, E/053/017, Washington County, Utah

Dear Mr. Welsh:

This letter is to notify you that we are closing file E/053/017 for the Shivwits Lode Claim #7 exploration project, located in Sections 11 and 14, T41S, R18W, Washington County, Utah. This project involved BLM lands. No correspondence has been received by the Division for this exploration project since 1990. This exploration project has been consumed by the Shivwits South small mining notice, file number S/053/008; therefore, this exploration file can be closed. As the Shivwits South project has been ongoing, we will leave it categorized as a small mining operation so you will not have to refile every year for an exploration permit.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this action, please contact me at 538-5386 at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
Minerals Regulatory Program

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cc: Larry Gore, BLM, Dixie RA (UTU-66871)

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